IN THE UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT

FOR THE EASTERN DISTRICT OF TEXAS

BEAUMONT DIVISION

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VS. § CIVIL ACTION NO. 1:18cv434

DIRECTOR, TDCJ-CID

REPORT AND RECOMMENDATION OF UNITED STATES MAGISTRATE JUDGE

Petitioner William Nelson Antoine, an inmate confined at the Clements Unit located in Amarillo, Texas, proceeding *pro se*, filed this petition for writ of habeas corpus pursuant to 28 U.S.C. § 2254.

The above-styled action was referred to the undersigned magistrate judge pursuant to 28 U.S.C. § 636 and the Local Rules for the Assignment of Duties to the United States Magistrate Judge for findings of fact, conclusions of law, and recommendations for the disposition of the case.

Discussion

Petitioner has submitted an application to proceed *in forma pauperis* in this action (docket entry no. 11). A review of the application reveals that petitioner has sufficient resources to pay the filing fee for this petition. Petitioner has a current balance of \$36.04 in his prisoner account and has had deposits of \$110.00 made to his prisoner account during the preceding six-month period.

Recommendation

Petitioner's motion to proceed *in forma pauperis* should be denied. Petitioner should be allowed thirty days to submit a filing fee of \$5.

Objections

Within fourteen days after being served with a copy of the magistrate judge's report, any party may serve and file written objections to the findings of facts, conclusions of law and recommendations of the magistrate judge. 28 U.S.C. § 636 (b)(1)(C).

Failure to file written objections to the proposed findings of facts, conclusions of law and recommendations contained within this report within fourteen days after service shall bar an

aggrieved party from the entitlement of *de novo* review by the district court of the proposed findings, conclusions and recommendations and from appellate review of factual findings and legal conclusions accepted by the district court except on grounds of plain error. *Douglass v. United Services Automobile Association*, 79 F.3d 1415, 1417 (5th Cir. 1996) (en banc); 28 U.S.C. § 636(b)(1); FED. R. CIV. P. 72.

SIGNED this the 17th day of December, 2018.

KEITH F. GIBLIN

UNITED STATES MAGISTRATE JUDGE